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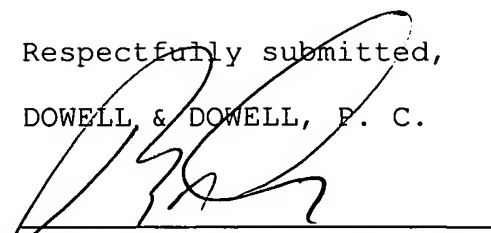
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Also being submitted herewith is a copy of the International Search Report with respect to PCT/FR2004/003346 and the French Search Report with respect to FR 0315169 which list the relevance of the listed patents.

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